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Attorney Docket No. 20470.033

In re Application of

Bradford G. Corbett, Jr.

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For: PIPE BELLING APPARATUS AND METHOD

PETITION FOR EXTENSION OF TIME WITHIN THE FIRST MONTH

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Applicant respectfully requests a one-month extension of time in which to respond to the outstanding Office Action mailed May 5, 2003. Enclosed is the fee therefor of \$110.00. If any additional fee is due, please charge the same to Deposit Account 50-2555 (Whitaker, Chalk, Swindle & Sawyer, LLP).

Respectfully submitted,

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